

Mission Statement

The mission of the Office of State Capitol Police is to support the State Legislature by creating a safe and secure environment in which to conduct the legislative process. We will carry out this role in a manner that respects the rights and dignity of all persons.

Department Core Values

Respect for all persons both in and outside of the organization.

Strive for Excellence in all our activities.

Provide a high level of **Customer Service** at all times.



The Office of the State Capitol Police

In 1974 the State Legislature created the Office of the State Capitol Police. The office has grown from its original complement of seven officers to a staffing level that includes 21 Officers, three Sergeants, a Lieutenant and the Chief of Police.

State Capitol Police Officers are responsible for meeting the law enforcement and public safety needs of the General Assembly. Officers patrol a seventeen acre complex that includes the Legislative Office Building, the State Capitol building and a parking garage. Over 100,000 people visit the complex every year. Since this is the focal point of state government, officers work in an exciting environment that respects the divergent views and opinions of legislators, staff and visitors.

Officers are required to meet and maintain police officer certification standards, as mandated by state law and regulated by the Police Officer Standards and Training Council. In 2003, the department received national accreditation by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc. In addition to certification standards, officers must maintain emergency medical response certification at the basic MRT level.



The State Capitol Police provides **24 hour, 7 days a week**, coverage for the complex.



Applicant's can download the application from the web at <http://www.cga.state.ct.us> or return this form and an application will be mailed to you.

Applicant Name _____

Applicant Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

All requests for applications must be received by May 21, 2004.

The application must be returned prior to the closing date of May 28, 2004.

Return to:

**State Capitol Police
210 Capitol Ave. Room 1300
Hartford CT 06106-1591**

Connecticut State Capitol Police

Testing Procedures

Agility Test- using P.O.S.T. Standards
Drug Testing
Criminal History Check
Motor Vehicle Check
Written Examination
Oral Board
Chief's Interview
Polygraph Examination
Psychological Examination
Background Examination
Medical Examination

Compensation

Salary range \$36,256 - \$53,068

A choice of medical and dental plans

Generous time-off benefits including:
3 weeks of vacation time yearly
12 paid holidays

Retirement plan

Access to deferred compensation
programs, and dependent care
reimbursement plan

Access to life and disability
insurance plans

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